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EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERSHIP: COMPOSITION AND OFFICERS FOR 1997

I. COMPOSITION

The composition of the Executive Board for the period 1 January to 31 December 1997 is as follows:

Terms of office expiring on

31 December 1997	31 December 1998	31 December 1999
Angola	China	Belgium
Azerbaijan	Cuba	Cape Verde
Burundi	Denmark	Czech Republic
India	Namibia	Germany
Japan	New Zealand 1/	Indonesia
Kenya	Russian Federation	Italy
Morocco	Suriname	Jamaica
Netherlands	Switzerland	Nicaragua
Norway	Turkey	Nigeria
Pakistan	Ukraine	Oman
Republic of Korea	Viet Nam	United States of America
Sweden		
Uganda		
Venezuela		

1/ New Zealand's term commenced on 1 January 1997. It replaced Canada which stepped down on 31 December 1996 to accommodate New Zealand's two-year term on the Board as per the agreement of the Western Europe and Others group on the distribution of Board seats among its members.

UNICEF Executive Board membership by regional groupings in 1997

Africa (8)	Asia (7)	Eastern Europe (4)
Angola	China	Azerbaijan
Burundi	India	Czech Republic
Cape Verde	Indonesia	Russian Federation
Kenya	Oman	Ukraine
Morocco	Pakistan	
Namibia	Republic of Korea	
Nigeria	Viet Nam	
Uganda		

Latin America and the Caribbean (5)	Western Europe and Others (12)
Cuba	Belgium
Jamaica	Denmark
Nicaragua	Germany
Suriname	Italy
Venezuela	Japan
	Netherlands
	New Zealand
	Norway
	Sweden
	Switzerland
	Turkey
	United States of America

II. OFFICERS

Executive Board

The Bureau of the Executive Board consists of a president and four vice-presidents representing the five regional groups. The composition of the Bureau of the Executive Board for the year 1997 is as follows:

President:	Dra. Mercedes Pulido de Briceño (Venezuela)
Vice-Presidents:	Mr. Dino Beti (Switzerland)
	Ms. Hazel de Wet (Namibia)
	H.E. Mr. Ngo Quang Xuan (Viet Nam)
	Mr. Fikret Mamedali Pashayev (Azerbaijan)